GOVERNMENT OF TELANGANA <u>ABSTRACT</u>

Agriculture & Cooperation Department – Exemption of Market Fee on Cotton Seed duly enhancing the Market Fee on Cotton from 1% to 1.5% - Orders – Issued.

AGRICULTURE AND COOPERATION (Mktg.II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 218 Dated: 20/05/2016

From the Director of Agril. Marketing, Telangana State, Hyd., Lr.No.S-I/2054/2015, Dt:13.03.2016.

ORDER:-

In the letter read above, the Director of Agricultural Marketing, Telangana State, Hyderabad has stated that he has constituted a committee to examine the issue of exemption of Market Fee on sale of Cotton Seed and accordingly the committee held by the Additional Director of Marketing along with other members have submitted the report. He has further stated that the committee in its report has examined the production of Cotton Seed out turn and the Market Fee estimations and collections, wherein it is stated that the Market Committees in the State will be loosing 14 to 18 Crores per year if the Market Fee on Cotton Seed is exempted.

- 2. The Director of Agricultural Marketing, Telangana state, Hyderabad has stated that the Market Fee is the prime source for taking up various developmental activities within the Market and outside the Market for the farmers and accordingly it is stated that if at all Market Fee on seed is to be exempted the Market Fee on Cotton requires to be enhanced from 1% to 1.5%.
- 3. Government after careful examination of the recommendation of the Committee and proposal of the Director of Agricultural Marketing, Telangana State, Hyderabad hereby exempt on collection of Market Fee on Cotton Seed sold by the Cotton Millers duly enhancing the Market Fee collection on Cotton @ 1.5% so as to compensate the income loss to some extent, under Section 12(1) on Telangana (Agri. Produce & Livestock) Act, 1966.
- 4. The Director of Agricultural Marketing, Telangana State, Hyderabad shall take necessary action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF TELANGANA)

C. PARTHA SARATHI,
APC & SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.

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The Director of Agricultural Marketing, Telangana State, Hyderabad.

The P.S. to Additional Secretary to C.M.

The P.S. to APC & Secretary to Government, A&C Department.

The P.S. to Minister (Irrigation, Marketing and L.A.)

SF/SCs.

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SECTION OFFICER